

Dear Alarm User:

The Miami-Dade County Burglar Alarm Ordinance, Section 21-276, requires an annual registration and fee of **\$25.00** for all burglar alarm systems that operate at locations within the unincorporated areas of Miami-Dade County and in all municipalities in which Miami-Dade County provides primary police protection.

Please **complete the reverse side** of this alarm registration card in black or blue ink and return it prior to February 1st with your registration fee of **\$25.00**. Make checks, cashier checks or money orders payable to **“Miami-Dade Police Department”**. **DO NOT SEND CASH**. If a location has more than one alarm system, separate registrations and fees are required. Additional registration forms can be obtained at any Miami-Dade Police Department District Station, any Team Metro office, your alarm installer, the False Alarm Enforcement Unit, located at 7617 SW 117th Avenue, Miami, FL 33183, or you can download a copy via the Internet at www.mdpd.com.

Please Note:

- 1) A burglar alarm system must be equipped with:
 - a) A backup power supply system in the event of a power failure; and,
 - b) A device that automatically silences the alarm within 15 minutes after activation.
- 2) If a location is not registered and the police respond to a false alarm call at your location you will be subject to a civil penalty of \$50.00 for Failure to Register Alarm Information and the possibility of termination of police response to routine burglar alarm calls.

Effective January 1, 2003 and all years thereafter, if a location has **ZERO FALSE ALARMS** during the previous registration year the Miami-Dade Police Department will waive the \$25.00 annual registration fee.

If you have any questions, contact the Miami-Dade Police Department, False Alarm Enforcement Unit at 305-596-8899.